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SUBJECT: CANCELLATION OF VISIT OF DR. THEODORE COOPER, HEW
ASSISTANT SECRETARY FOR HEALTH.

1. DR. THEODORE COOPER REQUESTS MISSION TO CONVEY PERSONAL
MESSAGE, PARA 2, TO APPROPRIATE OFFICIALS IN FOREIGN
GOVERNMENT AND ESPECIALLY 1. SLIWINSKI-POLAND; 2. TOMIC-
YUGOSLAVIA; 3. MATTHOEFER-FRG, TO EXPRESS DEEP PERSONAL
REGRET AT INABILITY TO VISIT COUNTRY AS SCHEDULED.

2. "DEAR---, DUE TO PRESSING MATTERS ASSOCIATED WITH THE
IMPLEMENTATION OF OUR NATIONAL CAMPAIGN TO IMMUNIZE THE
U.S. POPULATION AGAINST A POTENTIAL SWINE FLU EPIDEMIC,
THE PRESIDENT HAS PERSONALLY REQUESTED THAT I REMAIN IN
WASHINGTON AT THIS TIME. I REGRET DEEPLY THE NECESSITY TO
HAVE TO CANCEL MY PLANNED VISIT TO YOUR COUNTRY AND TO MEET
WITH YOU AND YOUR STAFF, ESPECIALLY AT THIS LATE DATE. I
CAN FULLY APPRECIATE THE INCONVENIENCE THIS MAY CAUSE.
YOU MAY BE ASSURED THAT I AM PREPARED TO RESCHEDULE THIS
VISIT AT THE EARLIEST POSSIBLE CONVENIENCE TO YOU. I HAVE
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REQUESTED MY STAFF TO IDENTIFY AS SOON AS POSSIBLE AN

APPROPRIATE NEW SCHEDULE FOR THIS VISIT. SINCERELY,
THEODORE COOPER." KISSINGER

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